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Of the Colic

I formerly treated of Colic as a form of the intestinal state of fever. ~~It~~ this state of Colic is known 1 by its prevailing during the existence of bilious fever. 2 by a discharge of bile upwards or downwards, & 3 by its being attended with fever commonly preceded by chills. This last mark is taken notice of by Dr Sydenham. It is generally seated in the Ileum.

Our business at present is to treat of the Colic as a disease of the alimentary canal of the Colon & seated chiefly in its nervous & muscular fibres. It is attended with great pain - a sense of twisting about the navel - ~~vomiting &c~~ sometimes vomiting - little suppression of urine - hiccup - tenesmus - ~~worms~~ but more generally costiveness. It is called Colica Pictonum ~~the dry belly ach~~ Dry belly ~~ach~~ ~~common Colic~~ and nervous Colic. Sometimes the faeces are ejected by vomiting. The disease is then called "miserere mei." ~~It~~ Few recover who have this symptoms. Dr Rivet who died with this symptom had a total inability to move, or press the abdominal muscles on the bowels. +

+ A temporary Gutta serena, & a quiet or
& convulsions
silent delirium sometimes attend~~s~~ this disease.
It has been called by one West India writer an
introverted Tetanus. Natives & old Emigrants are most subject
to it. # Cyder taken in large quantities is said to
produce it — hence its frequency in Devonshire (a
& ancient
great Cyder Country) in England — Low wines are
produce it likewise.

It is sometimes blended with the symptoms of
* the intestinal state of fever. This may always
be known by a discharge of Bile upwards or
Downwards, or by febrile symptoms particularly
Chills or a Chill preceding it. Sydenham.

& Lead — both indirect & direct.

+ It was brot on Catharine of Russia
by Laughter. The next day it ended in
Apoplexy. 6 Repelled perspiration. It is thus
induced in the East & West Indies. by one of the
causes that induce tetanus — viz: sleeping on the ground. i.e.
Of ~~fever~~. It is known by a hardness
like a lump on the belly. occurs now
Often Dr Stewart has showed in the
yellow fever. (a) Dissections show the

+ ~~Colic~~ this disease is 2 remote & exciting
induced by the following causes.
~~It is often a symptom of the~~

1 all the causes which induce Gout – Hysteria
& Hippocondriasis.

drinks
2 By certain aliments ~~taken~~ or other matters
taken into the stomach which act directly
the stones of ~~fruit that~~
upon the bowels. These are unripe fruit, sour
= curd – formed around these stones –
vegetables – cabbage – sour milk, fat meats
acescent &
veal, pork, honey, unfermented liquors, ~~#~~
liquors with lead; and the fumes of lead
acting upon any part of the body. Cats & dogs
of painters Sr Geo Baker says subject to it. Worms this head.

3 By diseases of contiguous parts particularly
the liver & kidneys. The former is known
by decubitus only on the right side, – the
By pressure on the nerves which ~~go~~ go to bowels.
latter by turbid Urine ~~a temporary interruption~~
~~but by Dr Stewart in the yellow~~
~~of the bowels – pointed~~

4 By a deranged state of the bowels from
~~intussusception~~
ruptures; and from costiveness. ~~It is sometimes~~
~~complicated with bilious symptoms of the~~
~~Its exciting causes are most of its remote~~
feet laughter
5 ~~causes – also~~ by strong tea – cold – fatigue
& passions of ~~the~~ mind – It even a tight shoe.
turn over to X Dissections

Dissections show the
following appearances. 1 no marks of
disease of any kind. Morgagni & Heberden. 2 Inflammation. –
3 Adhesions of the intestines to each other.
4 Intus~~sus~~susception of the intestines, with
& without the two parts of the intestine adhe-
-ring to each other. 5 a Stricture or straitning ~~of~~ of the intes-
-tine ~~of which~~ with a reduced diameter of the
gut. 6 Spasms in different parts of the bowels
hence the origin of Scyballa. This was first
discovered by Pyerius. That spasms will sur-
-vive death we learn from Dr Haen who
saw the Spasms from tetanus several days
after death. 7 a knot in the intestines like
a tumor. This was discovered by Dr Monroe. 8.
water in the brain. ~~[illegible]~~ 9 mortification. go to p. 31 (b)
& absence of fever. ~~The disease~~ is invited by
natural or acquired intestinal ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ predisposition ~~or~~
~~acquired~~ The same remote & existing causes
which induce it, bring on other diseases
in ~~other~~ persons who are affected by predis-
-position in other systems. I have once known
this intestinal predisposition to be hereditary. ~~two of the~~
go back to Dissections (a)

(b) Are there any premonitory Symptoms of
this disease? - yes - they are cold & dry
feet - flatulency - costiveness & slight pain.
Here a purge - the pediluvium - or a few
drops of Laud: frequently prevent a paroxy:m
of the disease, & thus destroy its recurrence
for it is as much continued by habit
as Epilepsy, or interm.t fever. By the
use of 9th X of Laud: taken under the above
circumstances I have prevented it often,
& I have twice known it eradicated by it.
I once knew riding a few miles in the
forming state of this disease to prevent
a fitt, & afterwards to destroy its recurrence.
X ← Natural or an acquired intestinal predispostion which is always attended
Qu: Debility is its predisposing cause. &
Spasm tonic or clonic that form of
morbid excitement or disease which constitutes
Take notice
its proximate cause.
this Debility and Spasm affect the nervous & muscular
fibres of the intestines chiefly. ~~the~~ Their blood vessels are
seldom much affected in it. hence the general V

The cure divides itself into two
parts. viz: the treatment of the paroxysm,
and the preventing its occurrence, or
removing the predisposition in the intestines — or
curing the colicy diathesis. ~~or the intestinal~~
~~predisposition~~

I Remedies for paroxysm are
1 V.S. — what! bleed — where there is
no fever — no tension — or fulness of the
pulse — and no inflammation? Yes
— bleed to prevent fever & inflamm. —
— nay more bleed — to prevent death with-
-out either of them. Recollect the facts
from Morgagni formerly mentioned who saw death from
Colic in which ~~they~~ he discovered no one
sign of inflamm. or mortification. Dis-
-ease here as in many cases that have been mentioned, transcends inflamm. effu-
-sion. — Bleeding alone often cures
Colic especially where it induces fainting.
If it facilitates the reduction of a

+ It is indicated more certainly when the
Colic arises from Gout, or an Affection of
the Liver or kidneys.

v I have seen water in which tobacco
smoke has been blown by a pipe, taken
in a small quantity give as sudden
relief as Liq: Laud:m ~~B~~ The seeds of
the Burdock made into a tea have in one
instance that came under my knowledge given
immediate relief. After the pain in the bowels
has been removed (& not before) give 3ly
‡ I know an ancient Citizen of Philad: who
has often cured himself of this disease in its first
Attack by drinking lbij of cold water. He was led
to the use of it by ~~a f~~ reading a publication by
Dr Franklin. ~~in the year~~ It acts by its sedative and
relaxing quality
A suppository ~~made thus~~ kept in the anus
made of the following Ingredients has been found
useful. ℞ Thur: myrrh & Croci ā ℨß Opii ℈i mixed
up in the yolk of an egg & honey. Ephi: German.

5

dislocated bone, & lessens the pain of parturition, is it any wonder it suddenly cures a Colic.+ The Os: shd be copious, or repeated ²till the pain is so far mitigated, as to render

2 Opium safe & proper. It should be given in small, but repeated doses ²till ease is obtained. Assafœtida given with it Dr Quier says tends to prevent palsy of the limbs.V

3 Laxative medicines. Begin with Salts, Crem: Tartar & Castor Oil — afterwards give Jalap, Rhub. & Calomel. Aid them by opening Glysters. ~~these~~ They may be stimulating from their quality & Turpentine, Brandy &c Smoke or Infusion of Tobacco as Salts, &c or from their quantity from ℔iij to ℔iv ~~bar~~ of warm water injected into the bowels have often cured this disease by distending the bowels. ~~Tobacco Glysters of smoke & infusion of tobacco.~~ I have in several instances relaxed & ‡ opened ~~by~~ the ~~bowels~~ bowels by Glysters of cold water.

recollect 3d grade of sensib:y in bowels³ 2d Stomach¹

V
=mon mode of treating this diseases but the late
Dr Cadwallider of this city improved it by
never giving laxative med.s before the 4th or 5th
day. & then those of the most lenient kind. The
late Dr Warren of London ~~has~~ adopted this prac=
=tice, and ~~has~~ recommended it in high ~~terms~~
in the med.l Transactions. ~~Possibly~~ It saves, he says
the limbs from palsy, & shortens the duration
of the disease. Possibly the use of V.S. may render
this slow mode of cure less necessary. ~~—~~ I have
never met with a case of palsy in ~~a~~ any ~~pa~~
of my patients, ~~and~~ for I have bled in the colic
for ~~ma 20~~ many years. The time to begin to
give purges Dr Warren says is when the pain
~~—~~ assumes the form of griping (& is felt below
the navel.

‡ Mustard to ancles or feet often gives
more prompt relief than Blisters. It
should be applied where we wish ~~to pro~~ a
prompt effect. Cha.s Fowler.

In the West Indies Gum Guajac & Sac ä ℥ij
Ag font ℥iv have have given with advantage.
also ~~Bals. Canadensis~~ ℥j Rhei ℥j dos: 8 - 12 gtt by Dr [illegible].
Crude ☿ has sometimes been given to open
the bowels, but I believe seldom with
any advantage. ~~This also~~ This is quit the com-

4 The warm Bath. This should never
be omitted. I have often seen it act like
a charm in giving ease, & opening the
bowels.

5 Blisters. They should be applied to the
thighs ~~wrists~~, & ankles & other joints. I have often
used them with success. Remember the
connection between the skin & the
bowels. Dr Thiery calls them Antagonist
muscles. Dr Geo Baker advises them to the bowels‡. not necessary.
‡ external region of the

6 Relaxing & stimulating ~~Stimulating~~ Applications to the bowels.
such as Sweet Oil - Spirit - Laudanum,
& even friction with a warm & dry
hand. —

The propriety of this remedy is proved by a
v ~~Warren says he saw~~ a spontaneous
salivation having cured ~~cease~~ it in 4 cases ~~r~~elated by Dr
Warren. ~~in his~~

I Mr Lewis ~~the~~ ~~late~~ informed me that a nation of ~~the~~ Indians
whom he saw on his way to the pacific ocean, cured
the Colic by ~~daily~~ treading on the bellies of persons
affected with it. the patients sometimes cure themselves
by pressing their bellies against a Stick.—

+ No relief should be considered as certain
or durable, untill a Diarrhoea is induced, or
~~or~~ a griping felt below the navel.

7 Throwing cold water all over the belly, after placing the patient upon his feet upon a hearth. It induces reaction & a determination to the skin, which sometimes gives immediate relief. — The late Dr Bartram used it with success in South Carolina. ~~I knew an quart instance in this city who used to cure himself by drinking immed. ℥iv of cold water. It had been advised by Dr Franklin in one of his publications~~

8 a Salivation. This is an almost certain remedy. The bowels open as soon as the soreness takes place in the mouth. ~~Vid.~~

The Symptoms of a favourable issue of the disease are.

1 a Discharge of wind downwards.

2 a plentiful discharge of Urine after it has been obstructed.

3 the discharge of Scyballa.

4 a gentle sweat,

5 Do of worms.

6 great Insensibility of the skin especially on the lower limbs, & soles of the feet.

It often terminates in palsy of the lower & upper extremities, from sympa=thy

‡ ~~he~~ the only man who has escaped it in a manufy of red Lead ~~bed~~ in this city lives wholly on fat pork.

✓ Francis Citesius a French physician who wrote in the year 1639, says this disease made its appearance immediately after the disuse of furs & skins in dress - a proof that cold is one of its remote & exciting cause! - The feet in a more especial manner shd. be protected from wet & cold.

⊙ This disease was very common while I was a student of medicine, & for the first few years after I settled in Philada: - It is now a rare disease. I have ascribed its ~~ap~~ disappearance to ~~three~~ 4 things. 1 The more general use of flannel next to the skin among both sexes - 2 to the disuse of punch at 12 o'Clock & 3 ~~the~~ the abolition of late and heavy suppers. 4 night air in porches. The two former have nearly driven it from West Indies. Ard. Drinks with warmth then their morbid effects only in the limbs in the form of Rheumatism. But ~~wit~~ when

between those parts of the bowels - that
is from both being affected with palsy.
The palsy of the bowels is owing to their
being left to wear out their excitement &
excitability from the want of depleting
remedies. V.S: I believe wd always prevent
all its exciting causes shd be avoided.
it. I have ~~never~~ had a Colic which
ended in palsy under my care. —

The prophylaxis, or preventing
the recurrence of this disease. The means
for this purpose are
1 Avoiding all its remote & exciting
should be avoided.
causes. ~~especially~~ Costiveness - An excellent
~~2 Avoiding late~~ medicine for this purpose
~~2 a diet [illegible]~~ is a teaspoonful of
Crude tartar - Crem: T & Sal Tart a pæ:
The very smell of paint when
called 3 tartars from lead has excited it & wearing
cloathes which had been exposed to fumes of lead
Soap boilers
2 a diet of oily aliment - ~~Bakers~~ +
who live on pork exempted from it.
4 warm dresses ~~flannel next to the flesh~~ & 4
5 regular exercise. ~~and~~ especially on horseback.
6 The Egyptian Belt. ⊙

taken in cups with the body ~~to subject~~ exposed to ~~a [illegible]~~ a
stoppage of perspir:n from thin dresses – their
morbid effects appear in ~~paint~~ colic, and in a
palsy of ~~the~~ extremities. —

There is a disease of the bowels known by the
name of the Iliac passion which is seated in the
upper intestines. It is accompanied with less pain
but more fever that the colic I have described. A
vomiting generally attends it in which faeces are
sometimes ejected which arises not from a rupture,
but a relaxation of the valve of the colon. Its causes
& remedies are ~~the~~ nearly the same as colica pictonum.

V when White the disease is called the chyle
Celiac flux. — I have supposed this to be
& derived from the liver. The watery stools I have
supposed likewise to be a secretion from the liver.
+ frequent discharge of mucus without any
mixture of bile or faeces from the bowels.
Mr Sonmich – Mr Inaby died with it. I have
called it a Gonorrhoea of the bowels. Vogel
calls it Leucorrhois – from its resembling
fluor albus in women.

again. – the aliment is discharged
but little changed. This is called lientery. lastly – pus or pus & blood from abscesses. —
trunks in the form

Diarrhœa

~~This affection of the bowels is the effect of ~~loss~~ debility local & general.~~

Frequent Stools with a pain sometimes of a burning nature, without fever. The Stools are mucous, — liquid — dark colored, green & sometimes without any color. They are dark & green from a mixture of bile, & white and watery ~~from a total absence of bile~~. The Stools ~~are~~ occur either in the day or night, or during both day and night. Sometimes there is a +

I have before spoken of the Diarrhea of fever.

It remains only to speak of it in its Chronic form.

~~It is~~ It is always ~~accomp~~ preceded by natural or acquired ~~prdis~~ intestinal predisposition which is attended with ~~general or or local~~ debility. Morbid ex- ~~It~~ citement is attracted ~~th~~ to the bowels in consequence of their weakness,

✓ 2 acrid, and putrid. Aliment, or Aliment not habitual to a patient.

3 Drastic purges.

4 worms. Other causes which induce it are

5 Obstructed lacteals, or mesenteric glands.

6 a want of secretion & excretion from the Liver. ~~of~~ hence the white stools — in some cases of Dysentery.

7 ~~Preternatural same secretion excretion from Liver — called~~

~~8~~ It is sometimes occasioned by the Hepatic flux, — or ~~[illegible]~~ Diabetes of the liver. Indigestion — hence aliment — or contents of Stomach.

Absorption of pus from other parts meaning by ~~[illegible]~~ of the ~~bowels~~. and its effusion upon the bowels.

9 ~~8~~ By a discharge of the contents of ~~the~~ an Absceſs of the liver. or of mesenteric glands: Stand void —

~~10 9 The [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] family~~

10 preternatural secretion & excretion of Bile — Chyle — or water from the liver, ~~for~~ ~~when~~ When Chyle is discharged — I have called the Diabetes Chylosus intestinalis — when Water — Diabetes aquosus intestinalis.

or directly
indirectly upon them
from impressions, or irritants acting ~~upon~~
thro
Other parts of the body. ~~Sometimes it is excited~~
ch
~~by local Irritants~~. ~~The Irritants to act upon~~
offensive Odors es=
Those
~~the whole System~~ are heat, cold, fatigue,
=pecially of privies,
fear & Other passions of the mind. The
irritants which act directly upon
2nd Local ~~are~~ ~~bile~~ ~~acrid & putrid aliment &~~
are
~~Drastic purges~~ the ~~from~~ Alimentary Canal
3 Acrid bile.
~~It is often a symptom of Gout~~.
~~It is often occasioned by~~ ~~[illegible]~~. In the
is a
Southern States & West Indies it ~~frequently~~
from most of its causes:
~~frequent disease~~
~~Diseases from this cause~~. It is called in
Virginia the Downward Consumption. ~~&~~
1 ~~&~~ It frequently occurs & continues for
months & years during the struggle between
the Veins & arteries in middle life.
2 ~~It is a Dis~~ Sailors are Often afflicted with
it from Cold, fatigue & bad aliment.
3 Pregnant women are Often afflicted with
it. 4 It sometimes follows Dysentery.
5 I have known it continue for 15, & 20

v It is remarkable when the stomach performs its functions perfectly in these Chronic Cases of Diarrhœa. Persons even grow fat w:th this disease on them. In these Cases I have supposed the Liver chiefly to be in fault.

+ Considering ~~the~~ how much the diseases of the head are relieved by ~~a Diarrh~~ morbid excitement in the bowels— ~~when it be~~ would it not be proper to excite a little morbid excitement in the ~~bowels~~ head to cure this disease in the bowels by a strong dose of Opium?

years without appearing to impair health.
Wm Smith - Gen Gates - the latter ~~above~~ died at 78
~~1800~~. But it ~~much~~ ~~[illegible]~~ oftener proves fatal
in a few years.

Remedies

1 In all cases of plethora, ~~and~~ from all its causes the wa full &
tense pulse - begin with V.S: you saw some of its
good effects in ~~the~~ a Prussian Sailor in 1802
also in - Brown in 1804.5 & in Wm Flissig in 1806
Dr Sydenham commends it in high terms.
I used it several times in Mrs Howel's Case in 1803
also in Rosign in 1806.

2 Purges. Rhubarb tosted should be
preferred for ~~this~~ purpose.

3 Vomits of Ipecacuana repeated 2 or
3 times a week. They determine to the
Skin, and counteract the inverted pe-
-ristaltic motion of the bowels.

4 Opiates - these should be given in small
doses in the day, & in such doses at bedtime as to pre-
-vent rising in the night. I have given
℞ Ipec Rhei ā gr j. Opii gr ½ m f; todie.
with success in this disease. Dovers powder is
excellent. Promotes Sweat!

+ Loaf sugar & Brandy - flour & brandy.
Wax in substance, or dissolved in milk by
means of the white of an egg. - Hot vinegar
Hemolapses a p Ol.

~~✓ Tonics as Columbo root - quassia -
Rust of Iron - they remove the
the torpor on wch the costiveness
depends.~~

✓ A sheet of paper boiled in lbij
of milk cured it in a Qut^r in
Maryland. After all the common
Remedies for this disease had
been used to purpose. I Chew.
I have known it to be ~~two~~ cured
in two persons by Lemonade, & punch
made rich wth sugar & lime juice.

5 Astringents medo — as pulv: Cretae with Sal
Tart & Laudanum — Tormentil root —
pomgranates — Extract of persimons —
Tinct Gum Kino — galls ℥ss nutmeg
or Cinnamon ℥ij, ~~Spirit~~ water lbj boil it to ℥ss ~~warm it~~ ~~then~~
Strain it, & add ~~water~~ brandy or Spirit equal to ~~ye spirit~~ ye water
left, & sugar as much as will make a
Syrup of wth: give Coch: j ter die — port wine ~~w~~ +
~~large~~ Doses of white vitriol. Dr Johnson.
6 a Diet regulated by the State of the System
~~of the System~~ — if dark Cold Stools which are attend
bilious it should consist of vegetables as Rice,
toasted — and in all its form — boiled with
gruel of boiled flower — Arrow root — ~~batch~~
tosted bread — & biscuit — potatoes &c — If
green Stools ~~white those~~ attend — animal & alkalescent
diet — as Cheese — Eggs — Salt meat — fish ~~fowl~~ fowl
and other cordial Articles — particularly Porter.
Food difficult of digestion has sometimes cured it.
7 Sometimes a morbid Acrimony prevails
in the bowels. Here Demulcent Drinks as
flaxseed — & mallows teas — also mullen tea —

√ Jos. Clark's nurse cured by ſucking a
woman ſhe went to nurse of a
Diarrhoea of 3 years continuance.

Diarrhœa – continued

Cammomile & peppermint with Gum Arabic,
are highly useful. I once knew ℔iij
of toast & water cured this disease pro-
bably only by dilution. ~~milk has had the
same effect~~ a diet of milk has cured it. √

8 **Blisters**. These ~~noble~~ remedies act
powerfully in this disease. They often
cure it in a few days, & when repeated
seldom fail of curing it in a few
weeks. They sh^d be applied to the wrists
and legs. Remember Dr Thiery's remark,
of the skin & bowels acting like anta-
gonist muscles upon each other.

9 Glysters – of Starch – Broth – milk
with Laud: also Ipec: ʒß Laud gtt 50
Dr Clark commends ʒj Emet: in
Glysters to excite a new action in the

+ Which is often the case in this disease — perhaps always in warm climates. It is no sign that this has ~~has~~ not been the case — when the liver exhibits no mark of disease, nor the skin of bile. A simple morbid excitement is sufficient to induce the Hepatic flux. Mrs Goulds' case. It should always be suspected where the functions of the stomach are unimpaired. —

V It ~~cured~~ was followed by Catarrh & hoarseness in Rosier in 1806 Feb:

14 in Gonorrhoea of ye Females.

bowels. Most proper ~~when~~

10 - the warm Bath. Dr Tilton used to cure the Diarrhoea of Soldiers with the Remedy. the ~~Va~~ Vapor Bath may be used ~~as~~ th instead of it.

11 The Cold Bath. the Revd. Dr Irving was cured by it.

12 a Salivation. This is commended by Dr Clark. It succeeded in a sailor in 1801 in the hospital ~~when~~ after Blisters & all Other Remedies had been used to no purpose: It succeeded in — Brown in 1804.5. It is more especially necessary when ye liver is affected.

13 ~~[illegible]~~ Change of Residence. It has been induced by bad water, & by a ~~[illegible]~~ offensive privies. By removing from both, a cure has sometimes been effected. But the chief benefit of a Change of Residence is derived ~~from~~ a change of air.

14 a Sea voyage. 15 a warm climate.

16 exciting the action of the Arterial System. I have twice known it cured by an accidental pleurisy, & that too in a single night after 3 months continuance.

18 Bandages & Rollers about the Bowels, ~~so~~ as to ~~compress~~ stimulate the intestines by the action of the Abdominal muscles on them.

The Egyptian Remedy. Helped Thompson, & cured Mr Howel in 1803.

19 Dr Casey of N. Carolina informed me in a letter recd from him in 1806 that it was accidentally cured in one of his patients by a blister on the soles of his feet.

20 as the liver is often affected in this disease, what would be the effect of a Caustic applied to it? —

21 what would be the effect of

[It may be done by mustard or boiling water applied to the skin]. v

17 warm dresses, especially to the bowels & feet.

v = ~~All~~ the exciting causes before mentd: should be carefully avoided. When Diarrhœa arises from worms - they should be dislodged - when from Gout - great pains shd be taken to drive it to the feet by stimulants applied to them particularly to the great toe.

1 It is a sign of Convalescence when fæces are discharged before Wind ~~fr~~ in going to Stool - & vice versa when Wind precedes the discharge of fæces.

2 Acid eructations are favourable. —

When this disease proves fatal; an inert or torpid state of the bowels often takes place. ~~which I shall call Localgia~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~Diaralgia~~. It would seem as if external and intestinal mus=cular & nervous fibres were upon

intoxication - upon the principle
formerly mentioned in speaking
of Opium? that is - exciting a new &
stronger action in the brain? ~~turn back to~~
=

22 Dr Bonet recommends the application
of astringents to the soles of the feet. He
supposes they contract the bowels by
their sympathy with the soles of the feet.
turn back to p: 15 =

a footing in loosing their irritability and sensibility by the long duration of disease. ~~and~~ It would seem further as if ~~[illegible]~~ Disease thus induced a temporary, or a premature old age, for what is old age — but reduced excitement and expended ~~excita~~bility; or a that state which I have called Stricture, or a universal senalgia — if I may be allowed to coin a word to express the torpor and stupor of the nervous and muscular parts of the whole system. —